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Whief Manager. Bougloons, Angust 10, 1891.

THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA,

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL£1,000,000. SUBSCRIBED CARITAL £ 500,000. HEAD OFFICE - HONGRONG.

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THE NEW OLIENTAL BANK CORPORAZION, LIMITED. PAID-UP OAPIRAL£580,000.

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had on application. R. W. BUTTER.

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HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

HE business of the above Bank is conducted by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORA-TION. Bules may be obtained on ap-

INTEREST on deposits is allowed at 31 PER CENT. per annum. Depositors may transfer at their option balances of \$100 or more to the HONGKONG AND SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports SHANGHAI BANK, to be placed on renerally .- Bear & Black, Son Front FIXED DEPOBIT at 4 PER CENT. per

> For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, F. DE BOVIS. Chief Manager.

Hougkong, August 1, 1891.

Intimations.

LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Second Ordinary General MEET. ING of the above Company will be held at the Hongkong Horse, on MON-DAY, the 21st Instant, at 3 p.m., for the presentation of the Report of the General Managers and Accounts to 30th September last, and the transaction of any other business that can competently be brought before PLUM

an Ordinary General Meeting. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 13th to 21st Instant, both days inclusive.

TURNER & Co., General Managers, THE LABUK PLANTING CO., LD. Hongkong, December 12, 1891.

CUSTOMS NOTIFICATION.

No. 42. ATOTIOE is hereby given that FRIDAY NEXT, the 25th Instant, being CHRISTMAS DAY, and FRIDAY, the 1st January, 1892, being New Year's DAY, will be observed as TOLIDAYS at the Kowloon Customs' Office and the Opium Examination Hulk. Work at the Customs' Stations, however,

will proceed as usual. J. McLEAVY BROWN. Commissioner of Customs, for Kowloon and District.

CUSTOM HOUSE, Kowloon, 18th December, 1891.

VICTORIA Y LODGE

Regular MEETING of the above Y X on Advances against Goods in private MASONS HALL, Zetland Street, on TUES. DAY, the 22nd Instant, at 8 for 8. p.m. precisely. VISITING BRETHEEN are cordially invited.

Hongkong, December 17, 1891. CHRISTMAS 1891.

THE Undersigned is now prepared to SUPPLY CHRISTMAS CAKES of the Best Quality, weighing from 1 to to 10 the, READY ON HAND, and also MINCE PIES, ASSORTED CAKES, &c., &c., &c., &c.

D. NOWROJEE. Hongiorg, December 16, 1891. 2930

CARD OF THANKS.

the Undersigned with in this manner to express my heart felt THANKS to Mr. CHEN QUAN EE. of HORGIONG. China for his disinterested kindness, care, and attention shown my Mother and Nephew while in China, and believe me we shall always remember you with great love.

WALTER HKANA AHL Honolulu, 12th October, 1891.

THE HONGKONG HIGH LEVEL TRAMWAY COMPANY, LIMITED NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Seventh Ordinary General MEET. ING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Hong-ZONG HOTEL, on THURSDAY, the 24th Instant, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers. and Statement of Accounts for the year ended the 30th November, 1891. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company

will be CLOSED from the 11th to the 24th Instant, both days inclusive. MACEWEN. FRICKEL & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, December 8, 1891. Hor rates of Interest for other periods THE HONGKONG BRICK & CEMEN COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

FIGHE Fifth Ordinary General MEETING SHARKHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Company's Ogrice, Bank Buildings, Queen's Road, on WEDNESDAY, the 30th Instant, at o'Clock p.m., for the purpose of receiving Accounts for the year ended October Stat

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 16th Instant to the 30th Instant, both days inclusive. W.H. WALKER,

Hongkong Terember 16, 1891.

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHARKHOLDERS THE Transfer BOOKH of the Company

will be CILOSED from the 18th to the Sist Instant, both days inclusive. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,-General Agents. CARPOR LEGURANCE GENCE, LARTE Honghoog, December 10, 1891, 3 2388

Christmas 1891!!!

Business Notices.

NEW SEASON'S PUDDING FRUITS. CATELS, SMYRNA FIGS AND ELVAS PLUMS. ALMONDS IN SHELL, BRAZIL AND BARCHLONA NUTS FILBERTS.

BOUPS, FISH, GAME, PATTIES, ENTREES, TONGUES, &c. PATE DE FOIE GRAS TRUFFE. HERBS, SAUCES, CANDIED PEEELS, ESSENCES, VINEGARS, CATSUPS, VANILLA, FLAVOURING SYRUPS.

SAVORY, OXFORD, CAMBRIDGE, PORK, AND TRUFFLED.

VEGETABLES FRENCH, ENGLISH AND AMERICAN ASPARAGUS, WHOLE ASPARAGUS IN WATER.
PHILLIPE & CANAUD'S FRENCH VEGETABLES: CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S ENGLISH VEGETABLES. CUTTING PACKING Co.'s AMERICAN VEGETABLES.

Wiltshire-cured Bacon and Pig's Cheeks.

STILTON, GORGONZOLA & CHEDDAR CHEESE. PUDDINGS & CHRISTMAS CAKES.

FANCY DESSERT BISCUITS, ICE WAFERS. MINCEMEAT. FRUITS IN SYRUP, NOVHAU & BRANDY; FRENCH PLUMS, WHOLE PINE APPLES IN STUD, AMERICAN DESSERT FRUITS, CRYSTALLIZED METZ FRUITS.

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Hongkong, December 5, 1891.

SUITABLE FOR

USEFUL AND ORNAMENTAL PRESENTS. W. POWELL & Co.

Hongkong, December 14, 1891.

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The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfor, convenience and quick services. Continental languages are spoken. Messas. DORABJEE & HING KEE.

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Hongkong, September 16, 1885.

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Intimations. PRIVATE BOARD & RESIDENCE TRE FALCONER has VACANCIES for Gentlemen Rightent Boarders,

WING HONG. TAILOR, DRAPER & OUTFITTER JULY BROETYRD A LARGE STOCK OF TANCY FLANNELS, SERGES, SCOTCH TWEEDS, CHERES SILKS.

Rowloon, Victoria View.

Hongkong, July 18, 1891.

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Intimations. HONGKONG & CHINA GAS COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Transfer BOOKS of this Company will be CLOSED from the 17th to the 31st Tostont, both days inclusive. F. W. OROSS, Manager.

Hongkong, December 16, 1891. 2339

THE STATE OF THE S THADE ALDBECK, MACGREGOR Wine and Spirit Merchants,

13, QUEEN'S BOAD.

Hoogkong, August 18, 1891.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION

Auctions.

THE following Particulars of SALE of to be held on the Spot, on MONDAY, the 21st day of December, 1891, at 4 p.m. are published. By Command,

W. M. GOODMAN, Acting Colonial Secretary. COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE. Hongkong, 5th December, 1891.

Particulars of the Letting by Public Auction Sale, to be held on Monday, the 21st day of December, 1891, at 4 p.m., by Order of His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government. of One Lot of Crown Land, in the Colony of Hongkong, for a term of 75

> Particulars of the Lot. Boundary P Q Locality. ft. ft. ft. ft. Bam Shul (North of

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For Sale.

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TWO Thorough-bred BERKSHIRE PIGS, 5 Months old. Apply to FAT KEE & Co., 20, Praya Central. Hongkong, December 16, 1891. 2329

Notices of Firms.

NOTIOE. TAI ON SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. f CHEUK TONG, have This Day been appointed GERERAL MANAGER

of the above Company. U CHEUK TONG, General Manager. Hongkong, November 25, 1891. 2204

NOTIOE. THE Undersigned has This Day Est TABLISHED himself as AUOTIONEEL and GOODS BROKER. GEO. P. LAMMERT. Hongkong, Decomber 7, 1891. 227

NOTICE MY Son HENRY HUMPHREYS was admitted into PARTNERSHIP with me on the lat day of July last.

JNO. D. HUMPHREYS. Hougkong, December 12, 1891.

NOTICE FIRE BUSINESS heretofore carried on under the name of JRO. D. HUMPHREYS henceforth be Conducted under the name of JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON. JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON.

Hongkong, December 12, 1891. 2316. NOTICE THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY

COMPANY. AR EDWARD HOLLOWAY has been IVI appointed GENERAL AGENT of this or about TUESDAY, the 22nd Instant. Company in China and Japan succeeding Mr. GEORGE B. DODWELL, who REstoned to devote himself to the Affairs of

Mr. HOLLOWAY has the Company POWER of ATTORNEY to deal with their Business Affairs in China and Japan. The Company's AGENCIES in India, Australia and the Straits Settlements will be under his direct Supervision. HIS OFFICE will be in Hongkong.

T. G. SHAUGHNESSY, Vice-President. Hongkong, December 15, 1891.

THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY'S ROYAL MAIL STEAM-SHIPS, CHINA AND JAPAN.

TITHE Company having decided to ESTA. BLISH their own SPECIAL AGEN-1.00 CIES in Hongkong and Shanghai, and to appoint a GENERAL AGENT who shall devote out Mr. GEO. B. DODWELL has This Day resigned his position as General AGENT for China and Japan. It has been arranged that the FIRM will CONTINUE to Act as the COMMBROIAL AGENTS of the Company until January 15th next. DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

> Agents. T. G. SHAUGHNESSY, Vice President. Canadian Pacific Railway. Hongkong, December 16, 1891.

CHAS. J. GAUPP & Co., Chronometer, Watch & Clock Makers, Jewellers, Gold & Bilgeremithe. ATAUTICAL, SCIENTIFIC AND METHOROLOGICAL INSTRUMENTS. VOIGILANDER'S CHLESBATED RINOCULARS AND TELESCOPES. RECORDS LEQUED AND OTHER COMPASSES.

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Shipping.

Steamers. DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW The Co.'s Steamship Captain Ashron, will be despatched for the shove

Port TO-MORROW, the 20th Instant, at Daylight, For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers.

FOR MANILA VIA AMOY. The Steamship Capt. GALEWORTHY, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 21st Inst., at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, Docomber 19, 1891. 2344

- Acents. Hongkong, December 18, 1891. GLEN LINE OF STEAM PACKETS. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

The Steamship Captain Gasson, will be despatched as above MONDAY, the 21st Instant, at 4 p.m. This Steamer has auperior Accommodation for Passengers, and carries a Doctor and Stewardess.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Hongkong, December 18, 1891. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES. STEAM FOR HAIPHONG. (Taking Passengers for Hothow, and Cargo for Tourane & Quinhon.) The Co.'s Steamship Haiphong.

Captain FAURAN, will leave for the above Port on TUESDAY, the 22nd Instant, at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to G. DE CHAMPEAUX.

Hongkong, December 18, 1891.

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY. STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG. COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN; SUEZ. PORT SAID, BRINDIST TRIESTE. VENICE

AND FIUME. Taking Cargo at through rates to CAIr OUTCA, MADRAS, PERSIAN GULF, RED SEA. BLACK SEA. LEVANT and ADRIATIO PORTS.)

The Co.'s Steamship Maria Teresa,
Capt. R. Depenis, will be
despatched as above on the 22nd Instant, at Noon Cargo will not be received on board after 3 p.m. prior to date of sailing. For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

Hongkong, December 5, 1891. MOGUL LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBI AND YOKOHAMA.

(Via Inland Sea.) The Stoamship Pathan. Captain Roy, will be For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL CARLILL & Co.,

Hongkong, December 18, 1891. OURAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR CONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Co.'s Steamship Captain Towers, will be carried.

WEDNESDAY, the 23rd December. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE Hougkong, December 18, 1891. STEAM TO SHANGHAL

The P. & O. S. N. Co. s Steamahip ' Captain E. Crews, will have quick despatch for the above Port after her arrival here with the outward E. A. HEWETT,

for Superintendent P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office. Hongkong, December 12, 1891. STEAM TO STRAITS & BOMBAY. Calling at COLOMBO. The P. & O. S. N. Co. a

Biesmalup Venetic, Capt. T. F. CREERY, will leave for the above places on THURSDAY the 24th Instant, at Noon. E. A. HEWEPT, for Superintendent.

P. & O. S. N. Co. | Office. Hongkong, December 15, 1891. 2819 Mogul Line of Stramers. FOR NEW YORK VIA SURZ CANAL The Steamship ROWLEY, Commander, the above Ports on or about TUESDAY

the 5th January, 1892.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

Steamers.

INDO-OHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND

The Go. a Steamship

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, December 17, 1891.

FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Steamship Captain Peters, will be despatched as above on or about THURSDAY, the 24th Instant,

Agents. Hongkong, December 14, 1891; 2313 SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.

HAMBURG AND ANTWERP. The Stepmahip Glamorganshire, Captain Davies, will be despatched as above on or about the 24th Instant, instead of as

DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Hongkong, December 11, 1891. UNION LINE OF STRAMERS. FOR NAGASAKI, KOBE AND

or about THURSDAY, the 24th Instant For Breight or Passage, apply to

DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Hongkong, December 14, 1891. STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, PLA NAGA.

The P. & O. S. N. Q. Steamship ... Captain W. D. Munes. will leave for the above places on Pale DAY, the 25th Instant, at Daylight.

P. & O. S. N. Co. s. Office, Hongkong, December 14, 1891. THE CHINA SHIPPERS MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COM-

FOR LONDON & PORTS OF CALL. The Co.'s Steamship. J. C. Jaques, Com'nder, will be despetched as above on or about the 26th December. For Freight, apply to

Trincia. W. N. Alamon, Comemander. Will the Conpatched as above on SATURDAY, the 2nd The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. First-class Salcon and Osbins are situated forward of the Engineer

the supply of Fresh Provisions during the entire voyage. A duly qualified Surgeon is

Hongkong, December 18, 1891. 2342 CHINA SHIPPERS MUTUAL

C. H. KEMP, Com ander, will be despatched as The Co.'s Steamship

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Hongkong, December 8, 1891,

For Freight, apply to

FOR NEW YORK. The 3/3 L.I.I. American Ship. Sachem. BARTERTT, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will

For Freight, apply to SHEWAN & Ut. Hongkong, December 2, 1891.

FOR NEW YORK. The 3/3 L.1.1 Amer. Barque Martha Davis,
PRINDLETON, Master, now due, will load here for the shove Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to SHEWAN & Co. Hongkong, December 2, 1891. 18241

Shipping.

CALOUTTA.

above on THURSDAY, the 24th foet, at

For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

for singapore, havre, london,

previously advertised. For Freight or Passage, apply to

YOKOHAMA. (Via Inland Sea.) The Steamship Capt. Beawick, will be despatched as above on

SAKI AND KOBE. (Passing through the INLAND SRA.)

P. A. HEVETT.

PANY, LIMITED.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Hongkong, November 27, 1891. CRINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENBLAND

PORTS, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE. The Co. a Steamship Second class Passengers are berthed in the Poop. A Refrigerating Chamber enaction

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE

STEAM NAVIGATION COM-PANY, LIMITED. FOR LONDON FIA PORTS OF CALL.

Sailing Vessels.

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Ayents. Hongkong, December 18, 1891.

Entertainments.

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DECEMBER 19th.

ider the distinguished Patronage of H. E. the Governor, Sir Wm. ROBINSON, K.C.M.G.

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THE CELEBRATED GERMAN PIANO-VIRTUOSO Herr Albert

Friedenthal.

To commence at......9.00 " Dress Circle and Stalls.....\$2.00. The Box Plan at Messrs. KELLY & WALSH, Hongkong, December 19, 1891.

Intimations.

T/MAS AND NEW YEAR PRESENTS.

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WATERBURY WATCHES (Most Reliable and Accurate Timekeepers) E SERIES

2 DOLLARS 50 CENTS each. GENTLEMEN'S J SERIES @ \$4.75 EACH.

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SERIES @ \$4.75 EACU. Inspection is respectfully invited.

MITSUI BUSSAN KAISHIA 8, Queen's Road, Central. Hongkong, December 11, 1891.

A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED. TO AERATED WATER MANUFAC-TURERS AND OTHERS.

ATOTICE is hereby given, that ALL N AERATED WATER BOTTLES and SYPHONS bearing the COMPANY'S NAME and TRADE MARK are its property solely, and that any Manufacturer using the same or any Person or Persons other than the Customers of the Firm found in possession of the same will be proceeded against as the law directs. A. H. MANCELL,

Hongkong, August 18, 1891.

Secretary.

Notices to Consignees.

STEAMSHIP YANGTSE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTION TO CONSIGNEES.

₹10NSIGNEES of Cargo from London ex Steamships Manche and Guadalquiver, from Havre ex Steamship, Guadalquiver, and from Bordeaux ex Steamships Ville Dunkerque and Marie, in connection with the above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods—with the exception of Opium,
Tressure and Valuables—are being landed
and stored at their risk at the Company's Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless intimation is received from the Consignees before Noon To-DAY (Wednesday), the 16th Inst., requesting it to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned.

 Goods remaining unclaimed after THURS-DAY, the 24th December, at Noon, will be subject to rent, and landing charges at one cent per packet per diem. * All Claims must be sent in to me on or before THURSDAY, the 24th December, or they will not be recognised. All Damaged Packages will be examined on THURSDAY, the 24th December, at 3 p.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkeug, December 16, 1891.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND

SINGAPORE. THE Company's S.S. Kutsang, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from

Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after the 18th Instant will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense into Godowns at East Point.

No Fire Insurance will be effected. - Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, December 16, 1891.

Not Responsible for Debts.

Mother the Captain, the Agents, nor A. Onners will be Responsible for eny Debt contracted by the Officers or Orem of the following Vessels, during their stay in Llonghong Harbour :-

Azor, Norwegian barque, Capt. A. Christensen. - Kong Wing Tai. G. H. WAPPAUS, British barque, Captain P. Hansson.-Uhinese.

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TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE,

THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS; ATLANTIC & OTHER CONNECTING STEAMERS.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG, GaelicTHURSDAY, Dec. 31. Belgic......SATURDAY, Jan. 23/92...
Uceanic v. Honolulu.. Tuesday, Fob. 16/92.

THE Steamship GAELIO will be despatched for San Francisco, vid Yokohama, on THURSDAY, the 31st December, 1891, at 1 p.m., connection being made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Porte.

RATES OF PASSAGE. FROM HONGKONG, FIRST CLASS. To San Francisco, Vancouver, Victoria, Esquimault New

Westminster, Port Town } \$225.00 send, Seattle, Tacoma, Port-Te Liverpool and London\$325.00

To Paris and Bremen\$345.00 To Havre and Hamburg.......\$335.00 Through Passage Tickets granted to Eng-Atlantic lines of Steamers.

Special rates (first class only) are granted | United States, and Europe. to Missionaries, members of the Naval, Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services, to European officials in service of China and Japan, and to Government officials. Passengers by this Line have the option of proceeding Overland by the Southern Pacific and connecting Lines, Central Pacific, Northern Pacific or Canadian Pacific

Railways. Return Tickets .- First Class .- Prepaid return tickets to San Francisco will be issued at following rates :-4 months\$337.50

12 ,\$393.75 Time is reckoned from date of issue to date of re-embarkation at San Francisco. Passengers, who have paid full fare, reembarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within one year will be allowed a discount of 10 %. This allowance does not apply to through fares from China

and Japan to Europe. All Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; and same will be received lay the Company's Office until 5 p.m. the at previous to sailing.

Consular Invoices to accompany Corgo destined to points beyond San Francisco, in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Offices, addressed to the Collector of Customs, San Francisco. For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 72, Queen's Road Central.

J. S. VAN BUREN, Hongkong, December 9, 1891. UANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY'S

RUYAL MAIL STEAMERS. PROFOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGEONG, 1892.

(SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.) Empress of Japan | Tuesday | Jan. 5, 1892. Empress of China | Tuesday | Feb. 2, 1892. Empress of India | Tuesday | March 2

THE R. M. S. EMPRESS OF JAPA. 5,930 tons, Captain GEO. A. LEE, R. N.R., sailing at Noon, on TUESDAY, the 5th Jan., 1892, with Her Mejesty's Mails, will proceed to VANCOUVER, vid SHANG. 1613 | HAI, KOBE, INLAND SEA and YOKO-

RATES OF PASSAGE. (In Mexican Dollars). FROM HONGKONG, FIRST CLASS.

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...... 345 335 2nd class steamer and 1st class on rail. and 2nd class steamer and rail, also Steerige Fares and Rates to other places, quoted on application. The Steamers call at Victoria to land and ombark Passengers.

Roturn Tickets. - Time limit for prepaid return ticket is reckoned from date of issue to date of re-embarking at Vancouver. Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of steamers. Special rates (first class only) are granted to Missionaries, members of the Naval,

Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services, to European officials in service of China or Japan, and to Government officials. CARGO. - Through Bills of Lading issued to Japan, Pacific Coast Points, and to Canadian and United States Points. CONSULLR-INVOICES of Goods for United States Points should be in quadruplicate and one copy must be sent forward by the steamer to the care of D. E. Brown, Assistant General Freight and Passenger Agent, Canadian Pacific Railway Company, Van-

couver. B.C. PARCELS must be sent to our office with address marked in full by 5 p.m. on the day previous to sailing. For Further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

Commercial Agents. E. HOLLOWAY. General Agent. Hongkong December 16, 1891.

Tu-day's Advertisements. DOUGLAB STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAMSUL Hailoong, Captain Roach, will be despatched for the above

Ports on IUESDAY, the 22nd Instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., . General Managers.

> Hougkong, December 19, 1891. U. S. MAIL LINE. PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP

COMPANY. THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUGHING AT YOKOHAMA AND SAN FRANCISCO.

PROPOSED SAILING FROM HONGKONG China.....Tuesday, Jan. 12/92 City of Peling......THURSDAY, Feb. 4/92 City of Riode Janeiro...FRIDAY, Feb. 26/92

WHE U.S. Mail Steamship CHINA will be despatched for SAN FRAN-CISCO vid YOKOHAMA, on TUESDAY. land. France, and Germany by all trans- the 12th January, 1892, at 1 p.m., taking Passengen and Freight for Japan, the

RATES OF PASSAGE. FROM HONGKONG, FIRST CLASS. To San Francisco, Vancouver,) Victofia, Esquimault, New Westminster, Port Town \$225.00 send, Scattle, Tacoma, Port-To Liverpool and London\$325.00 To Parli and Bramen\$345.00 To Havis and Hamburg\$335,00

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Through Bills of Lading issued for trans- Yung Ching, for Shanghai. portation to Yokohama and other Japan | Hainan, for Haiphong. Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Preussen, for Europe. Inland Cities of the United States, via Overland Railways, to Havans, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports in Mexico. Central and South America, by the Cornpany's and connecting Steamers. Freight will be received un board until 4

p.m. the day previous to sailing. Parce Packages will be received at the office until 5 p.m., ame day; all Parcel Package. should be marked to address in full; vaine of same brequired. Concular Invoices to accompany Cargo

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and Freight, apply to the Agency of t Company, No. 72, Queen's Road Central. J. S. VAN BUREN, Hongkong, December 19, 1891.

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CENTRAL.

SHIPPING. ARRIVALS.

December 19, 1891 :--Kaifon, British str., from Whampos. Bsin-ya, Chinese str., from Whampos. Alert, American cruiser, from Canton. Marit, German str., 704, J. Fetersen. Newchwarg December 13, Beans. — WIELER

Alwine German steamer, 400, C. Petersen, Pakhii December 16, and Hoihow 18, General.-Willer & Co. Meefoo, Uhinese steamer, 1,338, W. H. Lunt, Shinghai December 16, General. -C.

Velocity, British barque, 486, R. Martin, Honolule November 5, General. - CHIMESE. Benglos British steamer, 1.178, R. Farouhar, London and Singapore December 11, General.-GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

CLEARED. Cheang Hye Teng, for Amoy, Alwine for Hoibow. Haitan, for Coast Ports. Whampon for Saigon. Presto, for Haiphong. Nicoya, for Bangkok. Chouchoujoo, for Haiphong. Ancicitia for Hothow.

Business Notices.

DOLLS GAMES. TEA SETS. MAGIC LANTERNS.

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DLUSH GOODS LEATHER GOODS.

PHOTO FRAMES. FANCY GLASS WARE. TABLE ORNAMENTS.

The STORE will remain open until 7 o'Clock during XMAS WEEK. Trading Company, Ltd.,

Vessels Advertised as Loading.

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Haiphong	Haiphong (a)	Messageries Meritimes		
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London & Ports of Call	Pekin (8)	P. & O. S. N. Co	Dec. 24, at noon.	
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London, v. Ports of Call		Arnhold, Karberg&Co.	About Jan. 6.	
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New York, v. Suez Canal		Dodwell, Carlill & Co.	About Jan. 5.	
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		Jardine, Matheson&Co		
S'pore, Penang & C'tta				
Straits and Bombay		P. & O. S. N. Co		
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Swatow, Amoy & T'ani		Douglas Lapraik & Co.		
Trieste, &c	Diaria Teresa (s)	D. Sassoon, Sons & Co.		
		Canadian P'fic R. Co		
Yhama v. N'ki & Kobé	Ancona (s)	P. & O. S. N. O	Dec. 25, at daylight	

DEPARTURES. December 19 :-

Bantam, for Amoy. Wm. Le Lacheur, for Kobe. Romulus, for Wladivostock. Georgietta, for Mantung. Meefoo, for Whampos. Marie, for Whampon, City of Rio de Janeiro, for San Francisco

PASSENGERS.

Per Alicine, from Pakhoi, 38 Chinese. Per Marjoo, from Shanghal, Messrs Loureiro, Firon and Marty, and 47 Ohinese, Per Velocity, from Honolulu, 1 European, and 217 Chinese.

Per Benglos, from Singapore, 100 Chinese. DEPARTED.

Per Preussen, from Hongkong: for Sin. | The usual hours will be observed in closing gapore, Mrs Fehl and son, Messrs J. O. Millord L. C. Gratz, R. Gutierrez and servant, Alfred, M. Coats, J. M. Doane, Jr., J. W. Carter, Chun Soy Chune, Wong Fat Tan, Mrs Leong See and son, Mrs Lo Tai Tai and family; for Genea, Mr Henry A. Bush ; for Southampton, Mr Alex. Holmes; for Bremen, Messrs A. Bruhus and H. Jalmas Bull. From Shanghai: for Bremen, Mrs A. Schmidt. From Nagasaki: for Port Said, Mr Alexander Elemeff; Adon, Mr Michael Nadelajeff; for Genus, Mr Otto Schmidt; for Bremen, Mrs A. Rieck and 2 children. From Hiogo: for Brindisi, Rev. J. B. Hail and family. From Yokohama: for Singapore, Mr Giardino Cologeno; for Genca, Mr and Mrs Carl Robde, children, nurse and amah. Mr P. Jensen; for Southampton, Major Howard for Bremen, Messre H. Koch and Nanjoks. Per City of Rio de Janeiro, for Yokehama, Mesers W. K. Rees and F. X. Loring; for San Francisco, 1 European;

for London, Mr C. X. Best. Per Kwany Lee, for Shanghai, 100 Chinese. Per Lycemoon, for Shanghai, 47 Chinese. Per Phra Chem Klas, for Singapore, 17

TO DEPART. Per Hailan, for Swatow, Mesars R. Captain Kretsschmer, Mr A. G. Wood, Per Atwine, for Holhow, 80 Chinese. Per Whampea, for Saigon, 400 Chinese,

Per Amicitia, for Hollow, 12 Chinese, SHIPPING REFORTS. overcast sky to Lammocks; thence to port, | them. moderate to fresh monsoon and clear wea-

The British steamer Bengloe reports: Had strong and fresh N.E. winds, MOUNT AUSTIN HOTEL. LIST OF VISITORS.

Mr J. B. Coughtrie Mr Charles C. Malsch Mr Goelz Miss Insoll Mr Poate Mr and Mrs H. B. Mr A. Ross Joseph and child Mr F. W. Stapleton Me Franklin R. Ken-Mr Taylor

EXPORT CARGOES. Per S. S. Salazie, sailed 16th December -For Continent, 372 bales Raw Silk, 68 cases Silk Piece Goods, 27 bales Waste Silk, 750 pkgs. Tes and 53 pkgs. Sundries.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:-Fur CANTON.— Per Powan, at 9 s.m., on Sunday, the

For STRAITS & LONDON .-Per Glengyle, at 3.30 p.m., on Monday, the 21st install

For AMOY & MANILA. Per Yikaniy, at 3.30 p.m., on Monday the Stationt. For STRAITS COLOMBO & BOMBAY, Per Maria Teresa, at 11.30 a.m., on Tuesday, the 23nd inst

Per Hasphony, at 11,30 a.m., on Tuesday.

the 22nd but For SWATOW & BANGKUK. Per Mongkut, at 8.30 a.m., on Wednesday, the 23rd inst.

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POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:-

For KUDAT & SANDAKAN.-Per Memnon, at 9.30 a.m., on Wednesday, the 23rd inst. For YOKOHAMA & KOBE .-Per Phra Nang, at 5 p.m., on Wednesday, the 23rd inst.

For STRAITS & BOMBAY. Per Venetia, at 10.30 a.m., on Thursday, the 24th inst. For STRAITS & CALCUTTA .-Per Kutsang, at 10.30 a.m., on Thursday,

the 24th inst. For NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA Per Ancong, at 5 p.m., on Thursday, the 24th inst, instead of as previously notified.

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACENT.-The British Contract Packet Pekin will be despatched on THURSDAY, the 24th Instant, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and countries be-

Settlements, Netherlands India, Burmah, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar.

youd, via Brindisi; to the Straits

the Mails, &c. HOURS OF GLOSING THE ENGLISH AND FRENCH MAILS.

When the Packets leave at Noon. The following hours will be observed in closing the Mails for Europe, &c., by the English and French Packets, when they leave at Noon. The Money Order Office will be closed at 5 the day before. 8.00 A.M.—Posting of Prices Current and Circulars ceases.

(Prices Current and Circulars may however be posted up to 10 o'clock if they are tied in bundles, country by country, with the addresses all

10.00 A.M.—Registry ceases. 10.30 A.H. Posting of Newspapers, Books, and Patterns ceases. 11.00 A.M. - Mail closes. Parliane Lerries may be posted (from 11.10 a.m.) with 10 cents late fee up to

11.30 A.M., after which hour they may be sent on Board with the same Late Letter: Percels, &c., for Kowloon Point and steamers in Harbour may be Cooks, and Wong Tai Fong ; for Foochow, posted in the General Post Office up to 11.30 a.m. and 3.30 p.m.

Letters from Kowloon Point may be posted in the Letter Box which has been placed in the Police Station Compound up to 12 and 4 o'clock. Local rates will be charged: To avoid robbery, senders of letters from The Chinese steamer Meefoo reports: Kowloon are requested to cancel their

Had strong mousoon with heavy sea, and stamps by writing the word stamped across Covers containing Bank Notes, Jewellery &c. should be registered.

There will be by Sunday delivery. De Peak Delivery. Letters, &c., will be delivered by the 12 and 8.30 o'clock Trams only. Correspondence and Parcels Post Office up to 11.30 a.m. or 3 p.m., or Mr and Mrs Overbeck | in the Letter Boxes in the Cars till time of the 4th lat class Colonel Pan Man-oboy, Departure. With regard to lotters from the Peak additional Letter Boxes have been affixed to Police Boxes at Magazine Gap, by Peak Church, and at Mount Kellet, Local Rates will be charged. No Sunday delivery. Senders are requested to cancel their Stamps by writing the word Stamped across them. Covers containing Bank

> General Memoranda. Tuzsday, December 22 .--Goods per Maria Teresa undelivered after this date subject to rent.

Notes, &c. abould be registored.

8.30 p.m. - Meeting of Victoria Lodge. THURSDAY, December 24:-Noon.-Meeting of Shareholders of The Hongkong Bigh Level Tramway Co., Ld., at Hongkong Hotel. Goods per Steamer Yangtes unclaimed after Noon subject to cent. FRIDAY, (Christmas Day) Dec. 25:--

SATURDAY. December 26 :---0 p.m. - A. Dr C. Performance at City Turboay, December 29.—

Sp.m.—Tenders for Purchase of Opium Ceptain Teacy Ting Your and officer with Farm received at Colonial Secretary's went out to battle with them and were respective.

Office.

Office. Tuesday, December 29 :--

Kewloon Customs Office, &c., close.

WEDNESDAY, December 302-8 p.m. -Confirmatory Macting of Share- manaber of Engagents were tilled and holden, H.K. Righ Level Tramway Co., at Hongkong Hotel,

Shipping,

Daylight. -- Hustan leaves for Coast Ports. MEMOS. FOR MONDAY Shipping. 4 p.m. - Yaksang leaves for Amoy, &c.

4 p.m. -Glongyle leaves for London. Meeting. 3 p.m .- Meeting of The Labuk Planting Co., Ld., at Hongkong Hotel

4 p.m.—Auction of Crown land at Sam Shui Po (N. of Cosmopolitan Docks).

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Congrous, Barurday, December 19, 1891 THE REBELLION IN THE

NORTH OF CHINA. AN IMPERIAL DEOREE. (Special Telegram.)

The Chinese Mail (Wa Ter Yat Po) re-

coived yesterday a telegram from Peking to the following effect: An Imperial Decree was issued on the 17th day of the present moon (17th instant) as follows :-- From the memorials presented by Ip Chi-chiu and others, reporting that the Imperial Troops are advancing in suppressing the rebels with success at Mo-Ka-Wo-Kun, and that they (froops) succeeded in routing out the Insurgents in affected places slong the borders of Ko-Yi-Ting district, we soknowledged that, on the days of the 2nd, 3rd, and so on of the present month, the Insurgents both at Sai-Kiu-Tan and Mo-Ka-Wo-Kun had gathered together with the reballious pricets to ever 2000 in number and kept for the Peak may be posted in the General themselves within their stronghold in opposition to the Imperial Troops; that on with his military officer Trang Kwangtung and others, went out in different directions to battle with them, killing a great number of red-clothed rebels, and which will be cleared at 12.30 and 4 p.m. many ringleaders before they retreated into their stronghold, where they again managed with their utmost efforts to stand against the Imperial Troops, who surrounded them on three sides and at last broke into their strongholds, killing the socalled rebellion-Kirge, Ohiu Kam-Kwai, Tau Sig-Chee, and so-called rebellion-Commander Hau-Chau-Chung and over den others, together with upwards of 300 mounted bandits and over 1000 rebellion-

priests, capturing a great quantity of guns, rifles, flags, and banners and a number of horses and also a so-called reheliton King Lin Hinstong, who was confused alive and decapitated afterwards, his head being least for exposure; that on the 5th day the ring. leaders Worst Ting-chiu, Snog Helechil, and Snog Lebetal, who first broke dut to rebellion in the place on lod Sum Shap-Ka-Tee, were also captured, tried and decapt-lated scoording to law I that the Insurgenta who encomped themselves in Ke-V. Ting under the jurisdiction of the Kin-closes

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tuning alive ringleader U-Kong and sight femous bandits who were all decapitated according to law; that the Insurgents under the command of relalion-priest nader the command of relelion-priest Ng Kuong Sang were also either killed or routed out entirely; that, according to the report from Captain Lain Fuk. Hi, the so-called Ping Sai Wong (King) Tung Kit, in the neighbourhood of Kin chong District was captured and hunded over to the Magistrato to be dealt with according to law; that the disaffected placer along the borders of Ko-Yi-Ting limited have at present resumed their unital stanquillity. The above actions are indeed successful. The Edict still commissions To-Chischin to command his military officers and troops under his charge to advance at ourse, with their combined forces to hunt after the still remaining insurgents, and must not allow them (insurgents) to escape at large, so that the country may soon resume its usual quictness.

Another Decree was also laued on the same date as follows—According to the

same date as follows .- According to the memorials presented by General Ling An reporting that the Insurgerits in Chao Yang District were rooted out and dispersed by Imperial Troops who obtained encousaful victories in battles &c. we accidenteded that the rebols at Johol who Troops index the out in Chaoyang District were successfully defeated by the Imperial Troops under the command of General Ting An, who directed his officers and troops to go out to battle with the Insurgents with modesses on every occasion; that the said limitingents retreated to the northern barders of Chaptyang, where they set up camps and attongholds, but were broken into and rooted out by Captain Chang Wing Taing who on the 3rd and 7th days and so on of the present month, with the help of the Wan Ki infantry anddenly arrived in parent. capturing upwards of twenty loaurgents; they (troops) immediately resumed their pursuit towards Ying Ton Kento meet the Insurgents there, with the result that ringleader Li Lok Wan alias Li Kan Ming was captured slive and decapitated scoording to law; that along the borders of the northernnide, the place has resumed its quistude and the people enjoy their usual security; that Fung Shing O. Tez and others, Colonels of the Banney, corps, in hunting after the rebels, captured ringleaders Chan Hon Pan and rebellion priest Shing Shun Hon. altogether 26 in number, who were all (the troops) killed no leas than over 100 Insurgents on their way and captured ringlender Pun Tsai Lum that the troops are still pursuing the rebels in all directions; that Captain Nich Tenng Lam, in hunting after the rebels to the place talled Ying Lung Kan. succeeded in killing 140 or 150 insurgenta and resuming engagements afterwards with the insurgents, sgain succeeded in killing another band of insurgents consisting of

tuck. 15. Homnwann Bounn :- Metapedia, Nov. 17.;

Buropa, Guy Mannersug, 24.; Benlomond, 27; Anchises, Bellejophon, Frigga, Rossiya, Dec. 1 Curmarthenshire, Hebe, 4 , Achilles, Brindis, Glenorchy, Orion, 8; Kaisow, Lucriu, Oxus, 11; Polyhymnia, Sachsen, Sarpedon, York-shire, Hankow, 15.

The P. & O. s. s. Revenue, with the English Mail of Nov. 20, left Singapore on Wednesday, the IGih instant, at b p.m., and may be expected here on or about Monday the Mat but This Packet brings replies to testers described from Hongkong on Och 16 The O. & O. Co.'s a. a. Cashe, with the AMBRICAN MAIL Of Nov. Stib, left

or about Wednesday, the Srd Dec. The Givn Line absamalip Western, from London and Straits, left Singapore on Dec, 18th, and may be expected here on or about Dec 20.

Yokohama on Thursday, Dec. 17th, at

The D. D. R. s. s. Lydia left Singapore on Dec. 13 and may be superted here on or about Dec. 21. The s. s. Torrington left Singapore on Des. 14, and may be expected here or or about Dec. 21. The s. s. Pathan left Singapore on Dec. 14, and may be expected here on or about The s. s. Wesarg, from London and Es-

form left Singapore on Dec. 15th, and may be expected here on or about Dec. The P and O a a Centon left Bombay for this port on 11th Dec. ORDER OF CHORAL BEHYICK AT MY JOHN'S CATHEDRAL -IV SUNDAY IN ADVENT. Matine .- Venite, Turner . Palme, Wesley and Cusley ; To Doum, Hayes do.; Benedictus, Troutheak is Authora, O 100: Hyang, 51 | Offeriori, 921. Ryansong — Pasigna; Old Malcoy : Magni-Rost, Muclarren : Num Dimittle, Frace: Hydres V. 225, 301

DER OF CHORAL SERVICE AVEL JOHN'S CATTONIAN -- TWAN DIT: Matina 14-1 Propositional Hymo, No. 60 Hark to the Haraid Angels sing; Vantio Civiton Paster par S. Pro-per Pasinia, Mrnst, Chastry Madar-ren & Turis , Sa Donn & Jubilate, Color of Street Street Colors of Colors of Street S Messish 7 Handel. he Communion Bervice the following

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Union Children - Burban 2/13 DEC.

over 600 in number, capturing alive other 10 ringlesders who were also decapitated The Imperial troops obtained satisfactory results in hunting down the inturgents on every occasion. The same edic commands General Ting An and Leaut Covernor General Yu Lok to direct their forces, with the assistance of the Chili Province troops, to pursue at once the insurgents still at large. they must have caused the remaining insurgents to be either killed or scattered so as to allow not even one to remain. Let the above-referred to Gameral. Commander-inchief &c make out, a list of their respective military officers who engaged themselves in battles with the losurgents on this cocaaim and submit the same to the Lirone for consideration and for honours . Let the Board concerned take note. LOCAL AND GENERAL. Passan Stas Casal OUTWARD BOUND : - Colombo, Poyle, Nov. 18; Ainstals, 20; Nestor, Shan, 24; Benvenue. Cardiganshire, Wo-Sang, Teucer, 21; Moyune, Neck, Patroclus. Stuttgart, Dec. 1; Malw, 4; Glenavon, Sydney, Strathavon, 8; Benglder, Charlers Tower, 11; Prometheus, KimWE are requested to state that on account. The dresses of the principals were made by of unavoidable circumstances Herr Frieden- the Hongkong Trading Company and are thal's concert to night will be held in Et. all very well carried out, the one for the Andrew's Hall instead of the Theatre,

THERE is apparently some hope of saving the steamer Tongshan, as Lloyd's agents are sending up an expert to have a look at the vessel.

a a Ageong left Namasaki for this port on dered valuable assistance. 17th inst. at 5 p.m.

that the R. M. S. Empress of China sailed Von Wille is again first violin, and the from Venpouver on Thursday afternoon, brass and other instruments are safe in the Dec. 17, for this port via Yokohama and hands of the Band of the Argyll and Shangbai.

Ez faran's Saamen's Church.—The Mis- been Semposed by Mr Orange, notably sion Steam Launch Dayspring will call slongaide reseals holsting Code Penant C between 9 and 10.50 a.m. on Sunday, to convey men ashore to the 11 o'clock service. Returning about 12.30.

Smith, which occupied five long days in the columns of the local papers with unedify- inst. ing matter, has not yet been concluded. will take another day at least

Arrantion has been called over and over not easy to replace such brilliant stars as again to the annoyance, and even danger Mrs Fraser-Smith and Mesers Hopkins, arising from the reckless way in which Grace and Lightwood, still the present steam-launches rush about the course at company are well up in their work, and we That it does not often fall to the lot of a the annual Regatta. This year the can safely commend the show to the Hougbuisance has apparently been worse than kong public. No less than eighty people ever, and indignation against it has pro- are occupied behind the curtain, half couportionately increased. Surely something histing of the company and the other halfought to be done to prevent launches from spoiling races and amushing boats, as they body being under command of Capt. Clayhave been doing. It is useless to appeal to ton and his first assistant, Mr E. W. Mit. That the fact of the Reverend C. E. Few the good sense of the people responsible for chell. the manner in which the launches are run. Stringent measures will have to be taken to make such annoyances impossible if the Regatta is not to become an utter fiasco in future.

The finals in the Ladies' Purse and German Gup of the annual Regatta were rowed this aitemoon, and also the eight-oared race, "Club . United Services.' In the Ladica" Purse Master's crow went away at the heginning and kept the lead over the greater part of the course. The two navel crews. de Robeck's and Kelburne's, then came up and passed. There was a good race between these two, but de Rebeck's superior stroke told and won the race for his boat by about a length from the middies. In the German Our Jackson's crew went away with a bad start by which they lost half a length, When the course was half rowed, however, they came up and took the lead and won saily, Kennedy's boat being three lengths behind. The eight-oared race was not an excuting event. The Club best stroked by Master, started badly, and although they rowed very plackily the Services boat (Henderson stroke) won by about three lengths. The prizes were given away by Mrs Digby Barker afterwards at the V.R.O. Gymnasium. A vote of thanks was heartily accorded to Mrs Digby Barker, which H. E. Major-General Barker acknowledged.

Labouchary, of Truth, discoursing on the ambiect of titles and how to obtain them. says :-- But why arend money I (on the nurchase of a continental title). If I were consumed with a passion for a title, I shoold give myself one. I have myself—bring of a good natured disposition made a wast number of Counts. This is how it was done. I was an attache at a foreign Court. In those days, the main business of an altache was to vicer and issue bassports. An Englishman of my ecquaintance confided to me that he wanted to be a Count. Nothing more simple. I said bring me your old passport and I will exchange it for a new one, in which I will dut you Count. This I did, and when it became known, I had so many applications that I gave away three books of passports, and I must thus have made about one hundred and fifty Counts. Occasionally I meet the son of one of my Counts: from the buight of his nobility he looks down on me.

THE CHRISTMAS PANTOMINE AT THE THEATRE BOYAL.

A PERP BEHIND THE SCENES. The version of Beauty and the Beast to be produced on Boxing night has been adapted by Captain Clayton for the Hongkong stage from the Christmas pantomine of the same name produced last year at Drury Lane, and the story is very fairly corried out from start to finish. The accounty, as manal, has been painted by our old friend, Mr M. A. Bapinta, from designs by Capt. and Mrs Claylon, and right woulder the restan acenin artist carried at the wade. The transformation scene is something maryollous, and there are several other effective scenes in the pantomime

motably the Grand Hall in the Beast's

The dances form not the least attractive feature at a show of this kind, and they reflect the highest bredit on Mr G, Caid. well, who has had the entire charge of this? department and has not only taught the fair coryphoses but has designed the dances. kinself. The Banner dance is safe for a double encore at least. Of the ladies' diestes it is impossible to speak too highly. They are the prettiest that have been seen on the Hongkong stage, were designed, we understand, by the wife of the worthy stage manager. The men's dreams measurected and arranged by Mounts Clayton and Mitshall and executed by the ell-known military tallor, Mr A. Man.

Bogie Man being especially handsome and effective.

Considerable improvements have been made in the lighting of the stage, and Messrs Denson and Skerichley, with men of the Royal Engineers, have devoted any amount of time to arranging the light THE Superintendent of the P. & O. S. N. effects, so necessary in a piece of this kind. Company informs us that the Company's The Electric Light Company have also ren-

The Orchestra is this year under the control of Mr Orange, and it need not be said Misses Dodwell, Carlill & Co. inform us that it could not be in better hands. Mr Butherland Highlanders. Several of the musical numbers of the Pantemine have very pretty duet between Beauty and the

In the Harlequinade all the members are fronh morbits with the exception of thoun, but they are a capital lot all round, and do their work smartly and well. The Colum-Tire libel action, Minhimett v. Fraser bine, as before, is enveloped in mystery, but we are assured she will arrive in the Colony Supreme Court this week and flooded the in time for the performance on the 26th

Altogether, judging from the rehearsal, the Pantomime of 1891 bids fair to equal if not excel that of 1889, and although it is electricians, scene shifters, do, the whole

· FRACRANT WATERS' MURMUR That you gave us a sniff of Christmas delicacies the other day which made one's mouth water, and descanted about the beautiful things which were set out to catch the eye of the lucky buyer.

That if you had at the same time shown the way to buy without money, and elaborated a process known as taking scorns to wear pants, then I could have thanked you from the beart.

That notwithstanding the poverty of the land, and the impeounically of its endeavour to spend a jolly Christmastide, and to forget the worries of shroffs and bailiffs for a few days.

That, with this qualification, there is all residents a 'Merry Christmas' after the Mark Tapley sort-for where lies the credit of being joily if no obstacle presents itself?--and I do so most sincerely, in the hope that we shall have less cause to call in the aid of the Mark-Tapley spirit by the time the Christmas of 1892 has come

That your reference to toys and dolls made me plunge into my (empty) pocket, and it was with difficulty that any satisfactory imitation of Mark Tapley's humour could follow, - for I do love to treat the children, and am of opinion that their imposent prattle is emphatically the "salt of the earth, and is intended to balance the epparent disasters of old age

and final dissolution. That the everdone outlom of giving what the salesman calls 'scanonable presents to grown up people is in these hard times, a hardship; but for your own sake never lose an opportunity of making

giad the heart of a child. That the Chris mas Pantomime will bulk largely in the coming festivities goes without saying, and it is pleasant to hear that, as the mining folk say, 'pro-

specis are good. That I hear it will have more than one Beauty-indeed, it is said to be levelier than anything yet produced here; and, as for the Beast, his exhaustive study his Lordship-I sold a plano to Mrs Goul- this about him to Mrs Goulbourn. If he of natural history has been combined with a high appreciation of the mien of

a high-born prince. That what the experienced Stage Manager would call the accessories are to -exquisite dresses, wharming dances,

and effulgent effects.

That His Excellency the Governor and Lady Robinson made their bow to the Hongkoog community, or rather the community bowed and shook hands with the Governor and his wife (good, comday , and no harm seems to have resulted from this sums what ard nous function.

Excellency and family are a decided gain to the social life of the place, and every one hopes that the social will tend to eclipse the officio-political phase until -after the New Year holldays.

That the sports on the water and the adventures in the Court have divided public attention during the week, and Court, not of the Regatts) would perhaps have been all the better of a good whilf of the see alr.

That the Begatta may be pronounced a management in general and the Hou. Secretary (Mr. Sanders) in particular, succession, and stopped it

the Ladies smiled on the Regatts, and than of yore.

That interests are now perhaps more concentrated, but one misses the appearance of general holiday-making that used mark those crimual gatherings. That the absence of a Ball may tend to

render the fair ones less sympathetic than of old, while gentlemen have now many amusements, unknown here in the olden days, to turn them away. That all the same the racing this year was

quite up to the form of former years, and most of the finishes close. That for the first time in the history of the

V. R. C. the Chairman of the Club took part in the races. That the English crow secured a well-deserved win.

That the Scotch four rowed pluckily an did well, considering they had never been together before. That the Irish crew pulled gamely, and

would have been much nearer up at the Life office I began with this ledger. finish had it not been for the wash of the

ever this year. That, failing Police interference on the will be to make an example of some one. That a start might be made with the occupant (or steersman) of the launch which smashed up one of the rowing boats,

Chairman of a Mining Company meeting to address his andience as Ladies and Gentlemen.'

German Cup in heats,

That Mr Whittall seems to have been in that happy position when presiding over the meeting of Imuris shareholders. having expressed his approval of the Re-

port sounds almost like a benediction. That the telegram read to the meeting referring to a conditional payment £200 let in a flash of light into some

recent would-be revelations. That, in view of the vast amount of work done and money spent in public works in this Colony, it would perhaps pay the ratepayers were an expert measurer

work done specially appointed. the breeks from a Highlander who That this extert should be as independent of the local authorities as the Auditor is, and be responsible only to the Governor. That Chinese contractors fraquently need the sharpest and minutest supervision. residents. Hongkong will make a bold That the disturbances, rict or rebellion in the War North, described occasionally as counts received up to the present time.

the traditional exaggeration of official went up to Amoy and saw me ill in bed threatened me with legal proceedings. I conspire to throw a cloud of doubt look at them. around all the literature now obtainable about the present situation.

That Port Said disputes with Hougkong preeminence in shipping returns, and beats her rival by many millions of tons. That even with these gigantic figures the living at Bowrington now. She went back Egyptian taskmaster lays on Egypt no burden of Military Contribution. That in some things Egypt is superior to the War Office.

SUPREME COURT. IN ORIGINAL JURISDICTION

a Special Jury.) Saturday, Dember 19.

MINHINNETT O. FRASER SMITH. LIBEL AUTION. This is an action for \$5000 damages for libel. Mr Francis, instructed by Messra Denny and Mossop, appeared for the plaintiff, and the defendant appeared in person.

The following were the jury : Messra H. Z. Just, C. C. Cohen, D. B. Tata, G. Stewart, E. R. Belilios, G. de Champeaux, and H. The hearing of the case was resumed to-

bourn on 4th October and gave her a re- had not said that I would not have told Mrs ceipt for \$40. I never had any other inter- Goulbourn what he did to Afst. I told the There was no word about interest. view with her. I never offered her \$500 to | Police Magistrate that what had been done leave the colony.

By Mr Francis-I had a key for Mr Webber's safe. I never saw any private Goulbourn two years ago in the fourth or diary in the safe or elsewhere. I am not fifth moon. It was three or four months seen, but not (as yet) to be described aware that he kept a private disry. I refused to give him the key before he went Goulbourn; Mrs Goulbourn had not spoken sway until he paid me \$276 which he owed to me about it before that. It is true that

colony by Minbianett His Lordship and at was not re- lewellery with that mark. Some one gave | By the Court by not going into the Chien-pih had been entrusted by himself Mrs. Gouldown then to ment with the ticket lought.

That the sun smiled on the Ladies, and Lierdehip and we have being ornuing to Re-cramined and the in Hupoli-how he beasts of the fact that he yet somebow it was less of a gala day blant when Augmi pade the companies after the outrage littendent of Police.

diary. He always kept i in the safe.

know the letters again.

is! 21 this year according to Chinese reckoning. When I gave my evidence at about this matter. Gross-examined—Afat's mother is no

with the child to the country about ten months after I returned the child. The child went with her. I said in the Police Court Minhinnett never had a row with me about selling girls, and that Mrs Goulbourn asked me whether I sold girls. It is true that Mrs Goulbourn asked that. "She said -Minhinnett had told her I sold the girl. said that when Mrs Goulbourn asked me this I told her for the first time about this lictle girl. That is true. It was severa months after the thing had happened that I told Mrs Goulbourn. I have never had (Before Sir James Russell, Chief Justice, and any quarrol with Mes Goulbourn about selling girls. I have never bought or sold girls. I have had two or three little girls given to me by people to be daughters. Buring the twelve years I have had four girls and a boy given to me. I never paid any money for any of them, but when they grew up and got married I was to get something. If there was anything given it was to be equally divided between mound the mother. Minhinnett never said to me that I sold girls. He told Mrs Goulbourn that. was not angry about it. I told Mrs Goul- written to Webber. bourn about what he had done to Afat because he had behaved badly to the girl and because he said I had sold the girl. W. Van Eps, recalled and examined by first said I had sold the girl and then I said | months ago. I wanted some money and I Tls. 20,000 on the publication and dissemhad happened three years ago in the 4th or 5th moon. I also said I had told Mrs after I gave the child back that I told Mrs I had not mentioned it to anybody before By his Lordship-I took no papers from that. Mr Goulbourn was there when P told Mrs Goulbourn. It was in the afternoon

contained a record of my own work in the I told her. It was not at eight o'clock in They were on most friendly terms, I made by me some weeks since, that has led to the morning. It is not true that I brought the ught. I remember your showing me a the arrest of the heads of these three print-Mrs. Govibourn (cross-examination con- a pair of trousers stained with blood) If document in your office one alternoon. ing establishments. The names of the other on demand, 3.12 tinued). I remember bringing a charge of Mr and Mrs Goulbourn said that it is false. You asked my opinion. I said it was a two have not been unknown to me; but, the On New York rape against a China boy in November It is false that Mrs Goulbourn took me very serious charge and asked if you were proof of their guilt being not sufficient, T forting old Saxon word that !), the other 1886. I charged him with misconducting to Webber's office or any other solicitor's prepared to substantiate it. I said I thought it best not to mention them at all himself with my two daughters. That has office. I did not go to any lawyer's office. thought you had better lay it before It is evident however, that their true nothing to do with this case. The case did I know Mr Webber by sight. I saw him the Protector of Chinese. I also re: character has been known to the local not go to the Eupreme Court. I produced in the witness room. Minhimett did not commended you to write to Minhimett officials all along; and it is to be regretted That the opinion gains ground that His a rair of drawers to Dr. Jordan. He did bring Webber to the house on the night of to the effect that you were about to do so, that it was necessary that a foreigner should not say there was no trace of any descrip- the Afat affair. He never brought Webber I believe you drafted the letter bafore me. call public attention to the existence of this tion on the drawers. The boy was not to the house at any time at night. Webber I was in Court as your friend at the hearing source of danger in Changela, ere the offisuing me for \$12 at that time. I did not came to the bouse once or twice in St. of the comspiracy case. I remember your cials could be induced to take the lesst. On Shanghries. pay up the \$12 after the Attorney Gene. Francis Street, but it was during the day, saking me about putting me in the witness notice of it. ral refused to prosporte. I was not in the It Mr. Webber said that he was brought box. I said I was very average to going in: Police Court when Dr. Jordan gave his there late one night and that I had a row I don't know whether I told you my reason with Mindladelt and Mindlaustt bffered at the time: I don't think I did, but Before the arrest of Minhinnett I stated to seen the girl & Em telling the truth, not the morning after the conviction, in Mr Stanton what I stated here yesterday, anything that Michigaett told mo to say, which I said I had made a grievous Land I had seen the girl in the position He did not ask me to go to Amoy. Emily error in not going into the box. the Judge, Jury and others (of the described, through the cookhouse door, did not ask me to go. I went of my own not asen the affidavit since. I Before the trial of the compiracy case I free-will because I was ashimed about the smally say what was in it. (Shown affidecalled at your office to see Mr Ward. Police Court affair, I was not in hiding vit.) I see I did say that I stated that I His Lordship asked what this had to do before I went away to Amoy. I was living advised Mr. Smith not to call any witnesses at Mr Rouch's before I left for Amoy, at All as I felt so morelly certain of the ver-

addin the conspirate case that might I went but beard de benez esse examination of Major is the dief culprit, defice both the Viceroy best sayings it was then years before the Mamba . It buly took! the letter. It General Cordon; Acting Captain Super land the Acting Captain Super land the Adversor, and demands the imperiod to mole at remember as ing it was in that I gave the child back to her mother, was John Minkinget, the plaintiff called by companions. 1988. I brewember saying that Chop dollar I haw Minkinnett with the child on his Mr Francis Lam now in the P.W.D. and On that occasion Chou Han did not inwhiterned out of the hones because she kneed in the but her down as soon as he have been about 23 years in Horgkopg in terfere in vain. His relation was released. had been beduced by Minhingett of may and me end thegist's trousers fell down on the public service. I had money when I and, ever since he himself has been carry. have said it were the same, but Lido the floore I wie between four and five years came, about £1100. I have lent many sums ing on his anti-foreign gruande with the

formerly as his kept-woman. I gave evid- leaving on 14th June On arriving quaintance with him. I did not know him how in Hupeh, and the Vicerov himself ence in the Police Court in September at Sydney I wrote to Webber to the when he was in Mr. Ewens office. will have less difficulty in governide the thereby rendering it necessary to row the 1890. What I stated then was the truth. Melbourne Post Office. On our arrival I never promised him any business; I was province on the lines of his own choice

Namoa I went down to Wanchai. I re- was written. I went up to Amoy for the ruptcy proceedings was not false. mained at Wanchai only that one night. purpose of getting the woman Angan down | This concluded the examination of the cease to be the fount of the poisonous litera-After that I lived at Mr Rough's near the here. She had left with Rough two days plaintiff. Victoria Hotel. I know a Chinese woman before my arrival. Rouch, I believe, was Mr Fraser Smith said it was absolutely late. measurement, with the contradictory ac. slayed a way - Sometiment gots file and promiseory with the contradictory ac. slayed a way - Sometiment which a mentioned, it was the plaintiff would take a couple of hours. sometimes \$20. I have got \$30 at one signed to Minhimsett, and the first applicatime. I came back here because I was ill, tion for payment was made on behalf of the more reason to wish Hongkong That the astuteness of Chinese diplomacy, I did not wish to come back. Mr Rouch Tsang Keng by Dennys and Mossop, who only one more witness, my Lord,

> hinnett was overseer. Cross-examined by Mr Francis-I took down in my own handwriting what Mr the Police Court I told everything I knew | Webber told me on the way from Australia. recall anything in the statement about a myself justice.

communication to Mr Pitman. Mr Francis then read the statement in | was nothing to do but to adjourn. Orosa-examination continued Is still Monday at eleven o'clook. swear that the statement was written on board the steamer Menmuir.

Mr Francis pointed out that in the statement Webber spoke of going down to Minhinnett's house one afternoon or evening about a year after the outrage, when Minhignett told the woman Angan not to say anything about what had taken place, while in the de bene esse exami nation Webber said Minhimnett took him to his house at midnight on the date of the cutrage, to help him to pacify the old woman, when the little girl was brought

Defondant-I examined Webber I ere the de bens esse examination. I admit that these statements must refer to two different occasions . I regret I can give no explanation of the inconsistency, Mr Francis-I have no other question. am quite content. And

The defendant, in reply to his Lordship said he had no copies of the letters he ha

John Walter Gale, mercantile marine officer, I know Minhimett. I had a orly held the official rank of Taotai. This business, transaction with him a few man says that he has spent more than saked him for it. I got \$20. I had to ination of anti-foreign books, aheat-tracts, give security and I gave him a sextant, and cartoons. At present he is at the dis-

Cross examined - I would not swear whether I got the money from him or Emily. I know be told Emily to go and get the money. I don't remember if I got b from her hands or his.

have been in Hongkong but years. I was wrong in supposing that there has been a managing clerk to Mr Webber. I went to direct communication between the Viceroy him in 1887. I know Minhinnett. He and myself, there can be no doubt that it | On Parisused to go to Webber's office frequently, is the discovery of Teng Meu-hwa's guilt,

Mr Fraser Smith said he was susuming The semi-produces in Minhimett's Il was dict. On Great of I told you why I did not management of affairs connected with the Section subset, upon which the Augus had been induced to leave the I have seen other jewellery with that mark my legs under his malogany, In fact on it. Minbingett did not hive me any Minhianett fied been very kind to me: Minhimselt a pawn-ticket to redeem it. I box had nothing to do with gross examina. and the Bevevolent Hall with a quantity of

not femamber its have and much energy as ever, The Hunon mani-Sheikt Ramishm the Godown I know how old Emily was when she came cothers. At first my pay was \$1.00 and my festo is, no doubt, a production of his brain Contained I was about in Mr. ato my house to live, and so is the pictorial work to Webber's ifficent I was therefor about two By the Court I save the child was not in or \$60. In my accord period of service I which I called attention in my lotter of the rears to I went in August 1888. I know juted, so I did not say anything about it un could save \$100 a months | Luever took any | 21st uit Ho is now interfering our belief Mighinistic I need to see him in Mr til Mighinnett secured me of selling her. bribe from any contractor nor received any of these three printing establishments and Webber's office frequently needly every day. Emily is my own daughter. Minhimett did commission of discount or percentage. I it remains to be seen with what hickers. He used to come in the norning to read the not pay anything for her or I don't know worth about \$24,000. I was never But the arrest and punishment of these papers. He sometimes went upstains with whore the girl filet is now. I have heard worth \$100,000, and I pover told; anyone I three establishments is a matter of vety Webber Was. I never borrowed from any contractor. | secondary importance. The real offerace

Cross-examined I wasnot with Webber Two or throo days after the termination of Tsang Kang, all by cheque except \$600. I and the putting down of this evil will Queen's Road, nor in College Chambers, the conspiracy trial Captain Pitman called deposited his \$1000 with the O.B.O. as se- depend wholly and entirely on the action kept no diary. I had to make entries on me in Victoria Gool and told me that curity for Webber's everdraft. I have had that will be taken in regard to them. from the disry into the ledger. The ledger Webber had told, him that this man presents (not of money) at Christmas time In one of his placards Chou Han writes produced is chiefly in my writing. The Minhinnett had consulted him about this from confrictors. I nover got any oumshaw My neighbour Tauci Wu-tze, when first data is and Chovenber 188 ... I don't butrige, and that Webber know all about or any such money through Coulbourn. compiling the "Death Blow to Corknow whether there was my ledger before it. I asked Capt. Pitman to write to He paid my salary. I have heard what he rupt Doctrines," concealed his real name. that. This was commenced when Mr Webber, in Australia, explaining the said about Afat. It is not true. There is and called himself "The man most dis-Rodyk joined Mr Weblet. The earliest position of affairs and asking him to no truth whatever in the statement that I treated in heart." This he did in order f Minhimsett's accounts a 20th December come back. I also gave instructions to my committed a rape or indecently assaulted to shun, the point of the devils appear. 1888. It is for attendance and letters re wife telling her to get Mr Maclean to try the girl or did anything to her what- Not so Han. And he then gives his own and find Webber in Australia and give ever. I came to know that Angan had sold name in full, together with the name of Re-examined — There may have been him a passage back to Hongkong. On the girl, and I said something like What his native city. Whether he is a truly ledgers before this one. When I went to the receipt of the letter from Webber the devil do you mean by selling the brave man, or whether he is merely prodated April 3rd I visited Captain Craig on girl.' I threatened to report her and she suming on his position and inflanced in By his Lordship Pulout know whether the Menmuir along with Mr Maclean. Up said, Suppose you talkee my sellum cannot say. In any case his using is there was a ledger before this, from the to that time I was not aware in what part, small girl, I talked you makes pidgin that well known to the higher officials as the time I went to the office up to the 2nd of Australia Webber was. I had authorised small girl. Tintended to lay an information, inspirer and leader of this antiforeign Capt. Williams of the Changeha, with whom but I was told it was no everyday occur- invested in Hunan. If H.E. Chang is Wong Augan (who was cautioned by his Webber was on terms of great intimacy, to rence among the Chinese-selling children. sincerely desirous of bringing this strife to Lordsbip to tell this white absolute truth bring him back as seen as he could find I did not lay the information and that was a satisfactory close, he will deal at obce whatever she might have said to anybody him. When I visited Capt. Craig he gave where I made a mistake. I met Mr Webber | with this man and his official associates of spot, the only way to stop the nuisance before) - I am doing nothing at present. I me information about Webber and I made at a smoking concert in the Commissariat, the Benevolent Hall. Let him secure their live at Amoy. I have been living there up my mind to go to Australia myself. Buildings in January or February 1888, degradation and banishment, and the antibetween one and two years. I came here I believe Webber made the excuse and he sent me a chit next day to call fereign agitation in Hunan will die a on the last voyage of the Haitan. I know that he had not enough money and at his office over Achee's. I called on natural death. The missionaries will find Minhingett, I was with him for air years clothing. I went down to Australia, him. That was my first personal ac- travelling in Hunan as bleasant as they do

> The girl Li Afat was given back to her in Molbourne I saw Webber at the not in a position to do so. About a Those who are at the head of the antimother by me. I was taking the child to Townhall and asked him to come to vin- month after I made his acquaintance he foreign movement in Hunan are the sworn he Foundling House when't met the child's dicate my character. He came back, gave asked me to dinner. His statement that enemies of all progress, and best on ourse mother. She did not wint the child as it me a statement of all he knew on which he he knew all my private affairs and ing the introduction of every innovation. was ill. The child's mother was at Bow- has been examined in Court. I wrote out that I consulted him about excepthing however beneficial to the country. It is rington when the child was returned to her. his statement on the steamer coming is false. The first bit of business he did not in the interest of the foreigners only She used to carry pig's wash. The child's up. He told me prectically all he for me was an action against a dockyard that I suggest the punishment of these mother said that by and bye, when the knew in presence of Capt. Craig when policeman named Raymond. There may men, but in the interest of the people of child was married, she would give me some I met him in Australia. The letter have been another case before that I did Hunanalso. Besides, to punish the prinmoney. She gave me no money then. Mrs of 3rd April, which I got on 2nd not get intimate with him till about six ters of these publications, whilst their au-Goulbourn never apoke to me about selling May, has been in my hands ever since. I months before he left the colony. I have there and geal disseminators are allowed to girls. I left Minhinnett because he and wish to state that the first article com- played cards at his place half-a-dozen times. | go scot-free, would be atrocious. I greatly my daughter Emily liked each other. The plained of was not written by me, and I have heard Mr Webber's statement about fear, however, that this is the very thing police called me up to the Police Court that the second article was. I have no my going to his place at midnight on one that is going to be done. But can the Vicelast year to give evidence. I have positive recollection of seeing the first occasion when I had a row with Angan. It roy bring Chou Han and his associates to soen you (defendant), once before. It article before it was published: I am sorry is false. I have never gone to his place at book? Perhaps not, unless pressure is was not in connection with the case to say that in the conspiracy case I that time of night. His statement about brought to bear apout him from Peking. at the Police Court . I went to Amoy never took steps to call any witnesses at the seal is false. I gave it to him because It is for the representatives of the Foreign because I felt ashamed about this mut- all. I did not wish to call anybody except he had given me a ring. It is, false that Powers in Peking to bring pressure to bean ter. I did not go on band the Namoa Mr Rodyk, on whose advice I handed the Chop dollar was living with me as my on the Central Government, and thus make to go to Amoy before the the prepiracy trial. I statement to the Registrar General. He mistress. It is false that the girl Emily it possible for the Vicerpy to deal with the lid go on board the Names, but I did not said, Don't call me; it is no use, as there was sufitled to some money. I put case. Let them alone and the whole thing

> mean to go with the Namoa. I went on is no case. I only came back from Shang- her into the Italian Convent. She will die down of itself. So writes a friend board at 9 p.m. to send a letter. About bai three days before the trial. I have was there fourteen or fifteen months. from Shang-bai. But my friend has neven 11.30 I came ashore again. I did not see never had an unkind word with Mr Min. I paid for her. Emily says that Angan been to Hunan, and knows nothing about Inspector Quincey while I was on board. I hinnets in my life. I have no malice towards in not her mother. I did not pay a cent the Hunanese at home. The policy of the went on board with several women. Chop- him whatever. When Mr Webber left the for the girl. I did not buy Afat, nor past has been the result of letting them dollar went that night. I went to Amoy with colony there was an amount due on a joint Chopdollar. Before 12th August 1800 I slone, and the result has been what we the next steamer, the Heitan. It was a promissory note signed by Mr Webber and never say my name in the defendant's have seen this year. In the interest of full week after the conspiracy trial when I myself. The cheque for my share was paid paper. I never was attacked in any way. China, as well as in our own interest. I went. When I came ashore from the before the second article complained of My claim against Webber in the bank- hope and pray that our Ministers in Peking

called Alai. I don't know Van Eps. sant up by the other side. I could get no impossible to conclude the case this even-Sometimes since then I have got money information in Amoy about Afat. I wish ing and he thought it would be well to a scare, is a quentity very difficult of from Emily. That is not the reason I to add that, with reference to the joint adjourn now, as the cross-examination of His Lordship - Can't you go on now Mr Francis-I may mantion that I have

Mr Fraser Smith-It will be doing me and said I must go back. He did not say replied that I did not know anything about great injustice to go on now, because I don' reliable accounts from any other source, gave me two letters, but I did not hinnest. The was keng and world leal only with Min- feel physically capable of doing myself beliable accounts from any other source, gave me two letters, but I did not hinnest. The was then I can't read. Nobody to Minhinnest. I safe Keng is a Govern- The Foreman of the Jury, Mr H. Z. Just, the letters to me. I would ment contractor for works of which Min said the Jury were unanimously in favour

His Lordship-Well, we may go on for a little at all events. Mr Fraser Smith-My Lord. L am phy-It was not written by Mr Webber. I can't sically incapable of going on and doing

- His Lordship said that in that case there The case was accordingly adjourned till

THE HUNAN PUBLICATIONS. Dr. Griffith John writes to the North-China Daily News, under date Hankow, | Service.

8th December, as follows :---In a letter fest received from one of my native friends in Hunan there is one item interesting news. My friend writes feel sure that you have received my ormer letter, and that you have communicated the fects to the Vicercy Chang; for a despatch from the Vicercy has reached Hunan, and the Governor of Hunan has ordered the district magistrate to quickly soize and bring to trial the heads of the three printing establishments, Teng Meu-hwa

割數華, Tseng Yeu-wen 自郁文, inp Chen Tau teh 🗰 🎉 📇. The management of this affair (the publication and dissemination of the anti-foreign literature) is undertaken by Chou Ta jen E K Nhoformtrict magistrate's office defending the cause of these three printing establishments, and bearing all the expenses connected with their trial. He says that he alone is responsible, and that the affair has nothing to do with any one else.

Such is the interesting bit of news which Arthur Bernard Rodyk, solicitor, - I has just reached me. Though my friend is Personally I am thankful for the action

taken in regard to these printing establishments. But is H. E. prepared to deal with Chou Ta jen, who is of courseno other than Chou Han ? Your readers have not forgotten Chou Han's letter to his friend Tan the Governor of Hupen-how he tells the Governor that all the auti-hereey publications are printed and disseminated by himself, in soncert with the pilicials and Benevolent Hall (寶華堂) in Chang-sha -how he declares that his relative T'ang

Robert Fraser Smith, the defendant- I lent about \$1000 on promissory notes to are Chou Han and his official companions. will not let them alone, till Hunan shall ture which has done so much mischief of

Ir you would gather what of life is heat : For four-leaved clovers make anoxidle But pluck the fragrant blossoms nearest Ere the awest treasures charm some other.

-Harriet Smead, in Demorest's RELIGIOUS SERVICES ST. John's Cathedral .- Parade Service at 8.30 A.M. (Holy Communion 2nd and

4th Sundays.) Mating at 11. Holy Com. munion at the 11 o'clock service but the 1st, 3rd, and 5th Sundays in the month, Union Chuncu, Kennedy Rand -- Min. ister Rev. G. H. Bondfield Services at 11.00 A.M. and 6 P.M. ST. PETER'S SEAMEN'S CHURCH, Sallors Home. - Service on Sunday, at 11 A.M. and 6.30 P.M. The Holy Communion is administered on the 1st and 3rd Sundays in the

month at II AM ; on the 2nd and oth at

7.30 A.M.; and on the 4th, at the Evening ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH, Garden Trook ---DAM, Mass and Sermon, 5.30 P.M. Event ing Service. Benediction: German Bethesda Chappe - Socrice in . the German language, by Rev. R. Gott. schalk every Sunday, at 11 KM, in the Chapel of the Berlin Foundling House,

West Point Quotations. Hondrong, Dec. 20, 1891, DPIUM-New Patha, cash, ... 4871 New Benures, cash, 462 Now Malwa credit, 490 Allowance, Catties, 2.5. Old Malwa, credit, 500/530 Allowance, Catties, 3/5 Persian, Oily, cash, 300/20, Allowance, Catties, 2/6 Persian, Paper tied 300/30 Allowance, Catties, 24/64 Exchange. Honokono, December 19.

Bank, Wire, ... 3/04 On demand, 3/01 30 days sight, 4 months night Dogumentary, 4 months sight. On demand. Gredits, 4 months' sight, 3,97 On Bombay-On demand, ... 221 On Calcutta-Wire, 2202 On demand On demand. 30 days' sight, private paper, 72 which H.E. Chang Chile-tung has already Gold Leet, 100 fine (per inel) \$35.00 Bovereigns (Bank's buying rate) 6.88 Temperature.

(Taken at Mesers Falcoher & Co.'s Premises, Queen's Road. HAROMETER 9 A.M. .. 30 30 1 P.M. ... 30.12

Do. 4 P.M... THERMOMETER—9 ASM 1 r.m... 20 2 4 P. M. ... (Wet bulb) B . M. 62 11 45 Do. 1 P. M. 68 Dor 4 T.M. Do Maximum 70 Do. Min'mum over night 66

BERLIN FOUNDLING HOUSE. We have received the annual report of the Berlin Foundling House for 1891, issued by Paster Gottschalk, in the absence of Pintor Bartmann. The report of this thoroughly charitable institution speaks for itself; and we give the following tixtracia :---

Foundling House would appear to some of general public. But there are no male ly cannot be obtained in China, let alone drop in the bucket? And yet a succession was say of many hat they testify by word

STOOKS.

Banks, Hongkong & Shanghai Bank-

National Bank of Chins, Ld.,

Marine Insurances.

Union Insurance Society of } & Canton, Limited

China Traders' InsuranceCo., Id. 8

North China Insurance Co., Ld. &

Tangteze Insur. Association, Ld.

Straits Insurance Co. Ld.

Fire Insurances. Hongkong Fire Insur. Co., Ld. &

China Fire Inducance Co., Ld.

Straits Fire Insurance Co., Ld.

Singapore Insurance Co., Ld.

Shipping. Hengkong, Canton & Macao)

Indo-China Steam Navigation

China & Manila S. S. Co., Ld.

Douglas Steamship Co., Ld.

Steam-boat Co., Limited

Co., Limited

China Shippers Mutual S. N. Co. E

Steam Launch Company, Ld. . . 3

Refineries. China Sugar Refining Co., Ld.

Luzon Sugar Refining Co., Ld.

Punjom Dun Samantan Min-

Société Française des Char-

Imuris Mines, Limited

Mining.

ing Co., Ld.

bonnages du Tenkin

Balmoral Gold Mining Co., Ld.

Jobbu Mining & Trading Co., Id. 3

Ranh Australian Syndicate, Ld. £

leres de Tourans

Docks, Wharves & Godowns. H'kong & Whampoz Dock Co., Ld. \$

Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf }

Wanchai Warehouse & Stor-

Land, Hotels & Building

Agency Company, Ld. ..

Company, Ld.

Naw Insue.

Kowloon Land and Building

West Point Building Co., Ld.

Hongkong Hotel Co., Limited ...

Austin Arms Hotel & Building

Peak Hotel & Trading Co., Ld.

Humphreys' Estate & Finance

Miscellaneous.

Green Island Coment Company

China-Borneo Co., Ld., in lig.

A. S. Wateon & Co., Limited ..

Hengkong Trading Co., Ld. ... H. G. Brown & Co., Limited ...

Hongkong Electric Co., Limited 8

Hongkong & China fold issue £

Gas Co., Limited | new ;

HK. Rope Manufactory Co., Ld.

Geo. Febwick & Co., Limited

Hongkong Ice Co., Limited

Hongkong High-Level Tram-

Dairy Farm Co., Limited

Cruickshank & Co., Limited

ways Company, Limited

Hongkong Brick and Cement

Company, Limited

H'kong & China Bakery Co., Ld.

Campbell, Moore & Co., Limited \$

Loans to Imperial Chinese Government.

Chinese Insperial Govt. 8% Silver Loan 1884

Chinese Imperial Goyt. 7% Silver Loan 1886 E

Debentures.

H.K. Hotel Go. 6% Mortgage Debentures 1889

Hongkong & Kowloon Whari & Godown Co.]

51% Debentures of 1691

China Merchants S. N. Co. 7% Mortgage

Labuk Planting Co., Limited

Company, Limited

Company, Ld. New Issue.

Limited,

Hongkong Land Investment &

age Cor, Limited

Schma Tin Mining Com-1 12 575,000

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pany, Limited, 1 10

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Canton Insurance Office, Ed.

Bank of China, Japan & Straits, &

Founders ...

New issue .. Ld. £

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No. of Shares.

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Capital.

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foundlings in Chins, and consequently there special statistics of this bort. But consider that they have obtained in pain in the hand, and conduct that they have obtained in the hand, and conduct that they have obtained in the hand, and conduct that they have obtained in the han ries, where they are left, wrapped up per- (German) in extent, and ferther commider- harous and supentitious penetices of their haps in a few rags or placed in backets, a ing that other foundlings from the same parents, and whoever co-operates with this proy for stray dogs, vultures or sorpents, as district indet have excepted that Min. will find a flearant in doing this, a the undersigned has himself had occasion sionary's observation, we shall not be far pleasure which will be intensified by the to observe. And this iniquitous plactice out in assuming that in the Canton sight of the theory and happy faces of the is resorted to se extensively that every Province aline many thousands, if hot little hastes of our House who were origin-

Last Dividend and when paid

6,300,000 30/- for 1-year ending 30/6/51, Aug. 24, 91

100,000 4/- per share, Feb. 14, 91

First year

320,000 10 per cent. for 1689

£8, February 14, 01

800,000 26 per cent. for 1890, Oct. 12, \$1

455 31.46 \$6 per share for 1889, March 12, 90

1,060,000 \$18 per share for 1889, March 9, 91

748,500 30 per cent, for 1889, Yeb. 28, 91

60,000 81 per cent. for 1889, March 27, 91

21 per cent. for 1890, June 1, 91

Int. div. \$6 per ahare, Aug. 28, 91

88 per share for 1890, March 25, 91

2,384.17.5 October 14 and 24, 1891.

700,000 18 per cent. for year ending 31/4/90, Sept. 18, 91

550,000 final div. 4 % making 14 % for 1890, Oct. 23, 91

25,000 5 per cent. for year ending 31/12/90, July 4, 91

35,000 4 per cent. for 1-year ending 30/6/91, Aug. 1, 91

200,000 5 per cent. for year ending 30/6/91, Sept. 28, 91

85,000 | Int. div. of 2 % prem. for 6 months to 50/6/91,

7 per cent. 1-year ending 5/8/01, Oct. 18, 91

7 per cent. 1-year ending, Aug. 25, 01

Int. div. 4 per cent, August 1, 51

1,250,000 Int. div. \$2 per share, August 1, \$1

Int. div. 60 cents, July 20, 91

20,000 11 per cent, for 1890, April 17, 91

4 per cent. for 1-year ending 30/6/91.

2,661.53 50 cents p. share, 1-year and. 20/6/91, Sept. 7, 3

Int. Div., 7 per cent. for 1891, Nov. 5, 91

,934.14.810 per cent. for 1890, and 21 per cent. bonus,

\$5 per share for 1690, March 17, 1891

Par Value of Bonds,

\$500 H'kong Currency

Shanghai Taole 250.

per cent. for 1890, April 1, 91

25,000 \$6 per share for 1890, March 24, 91

1,0007 per cent, for 1890, March 11, 91

48,000 Ldt. div. 8 per cent., Aug. 10, 91.

lat. div., \$2 per share, Sept. 9, 91

3 per cent. for 1-year ending 30/6/91, Sept. 1, 31

SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS.

Reserve & Work-

ing Account.

First year.

37,582.78

30,874.54

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40.731,90

1,278.66

2,941.29

\$319,362,31

\$285,815.15

\$95,490.49

£12,442.12.1

none

none

First year.

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\$58,698.47

52,665,68

2,585.92

1,516,56

\$4,829.64

256,178.78

none

Amount of Loan,

Shanghai Tie, 787,200

214.55

\$34,114.18

First year

Dode

none

25/ £

Christian soul would be roused with tons of thousands, of new-born girls are ally consigned by their own parents to our friends invested with more interest and number of inlant, girls thus destroyed Now what are we to the fact misfortune til being born girls. These childpossessing more value if we were to take up every year in the Canton Province alone. that from out of this tremendons mass ren are now being aducated so as to form boys instead of girls and provide an educa- Statistics of an approximately reliable of misery at the utmost 15 children them not marely into good housewives but tion, producing useful artisans, traders, nature are, indeed, out of the question at a year are removed to our Home and into patterns for helr appreciations. Somb teachers and preschers for the benefit of the present; even population statistics general- educated here! Is not this hardly a of them have account such, and we

Hongkong, Saturday, 4 p.m., 19th December, 1891.

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\$92, sellers

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The 74, buyen

\$325, sellers

\$91, abliera

\$164, buyers

\$101, sellers

\$45, sellers

\$39, sellers

£15, vollete

£11, sellere

\$176, sales

\$54, cellers

\$2, buyers

\$260, sales

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\$10, sellers

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\$50, m]|ora

\$37}, sellers

In liquidation

\$200 bayers

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\$10, sellers

\$102, buyers

par nominal

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\$40, sellers

\$4, sellere

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\$110, buyers

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80 % prem., buyers

\$50, sales and buyers

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\$181, sellers

\$13, sellers

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\$107, sales and buyers

\$18, sales and buyers

\$34, sales and buyers

25 % discount sellers

description simply because they had the

Closing Quelations.

371% dis. for B' shares on £4.10/

ome Christians themselves.

lings manifests charity and, though in soon began to find relief, my look digested. secret, does much real good, thus, clear better and gave me strength, all pains in ly, our married girls themselves exercise a my back and sides left me. I could now good influence, in that people see in them a | sleep better and gradually gained strength living demonstration of what Christian every day, and by the time it had laken a kindness, nurture and admonition can do d/6 bottle I was better then ever I was in

married to ordained native preachers, to this statement others may be benefited I for Ledden will be conveyed set Bombay evangelists or teachers. Some, however, shall be very glad, and I hereby give per- without transferment, scriving one week are the wives of tradesmen or artisans, and mission to the proprietors of Seigel's Syrup; later than by the ordinary direct rooms will hands with whom they are living scattered of the Satutory Declaration Act, 1885. respectively over the Canton Province, (William IV. c. 62.) Houghoug, Swatow. Singapore, Borneo, Declared before me at Honolulu, San Francisco, Demerara Leeds, in the County and Sydney. Wherever they be, they of York, by the said look back with pleasant reminiscences to Margaret Moriand, on their Home in Hongkong. One of the two Monday, the 10th of Margaret Morland. girls who were betrothed during the pre- August, 1891. sent year has been married to a zealous (Signed) ALF, Cooks, native preacher stationed some three weeks?

in reading and writing by means of the our mention of the above case in connection alphabet invented for the blind, being thus with the work of the society of which His well qualified to take charge of a class of Royal Highness is President. blind girls at Canton.

According to last year's Report, there

were 81 children under our charge at the

journey up the Canton River.

beginning of the present year. Of these, two left us as happy brides and one died. Nine foundlings were received into our Home during the year, but three of them died. We have therefore at present 84 children under our charge here in Hongkong. But on the mainland we have further eight foundlings recently taken up shortly be transferred to our Home here. Twenty-one of our children are at present attending school. It is a matter of regret to us that the Government have not yet seen their way to add a seventh Standard to the Grant in Aid Scheme. If that were done, we would keep our girls in school w obligations to the Government for the grants annually earned by our scholars under the provisions of the Grant-in-Aid Scheme, which is a great help to us. We also desire to express our thanks for the instruction in physical drill, lately introduced by the Inspector of Schools, which is giving our children great pleasure and will no doubt materially benefit their health. Now dear Christmastide is once more at hand and our children are again ougaged in practising their carols for the occasion. For in accordance with old established custom we purpose to hold a public celebra-tion of Christmas, viz., on Christmas-eve (Thursday, 24th December), at 5 p.m. After the usual liturgical service to be

THE PRINCE OF WALES SPEAKS ON HEALTH. In his able and timely remarks at the pening of the International Congress of Hygiene, at St. James's Hall, London, August 10th, 1891, the President, the Prince of Wales, said;— The highest poseible prosperity is when rich and poor alike can do such visful work as they are Mt for and to this end it is essential that they should onjoy the best possible health and vigour. Very true, but how can the public health be best promoted? Clearly by such pre ventive measures as the Congress meets to

held in the German Bothesda Chapel, the

Christmas-tree will be lit in the Foundling.

House and the presents distributed among

the children. All the friends of our In-

with their presence on the occasion.

consider, and by reliable remedies so long we certain diseases continue to prevail.

We submit an example of the later nocossity in the form of a statement which cannot fail to convince the minds of all who may read it. Margaret Morland, of Throstle Nest Farm, Haya Park, near Knaresboro', York

shire, do solemnly and sincerely declare as I have suffered all my life from a weak atomach, indigestion, and liver complaint.

I was never properly well but always alling and moves seemed to gain strength. Thad a bad taste in the month and a strange sinking feeling at the pit of my stomach. I had always pain after eating, no matter how simple the food was. My appetite was poor and what little I ate did not seem to give me strength. I had great pain at the chest and sides and felt as if I was held or bound round my welst. I was much if something was hanging over me, I could not sleep at night, and got so had that I

tians. If inquiries were made, it have died. I grow weaker and weaker would probably be found that the cruelty every day, and felt that if a change did not they practised towards their own children, soon take place my condition would be and the kindness extended to the latter by critical, for the pain was more than I sould Ohristian people, troubled their consciences bear. I could not even bide to lie in bed, until they themselves embraced the Chris- and had to get out of had and walk about tian faith. Such cases are at present of the room. I took all kinds of medicines mre occurrence, but there can be no doubt but nothing gave ma more than temporary that a single family raised by the work of relief, and I dragged on in this miserable our Home dan exercise a blessed influence state until December, 1889, when Mr. Day, by simply communicating to others the the chemist, at Knaresbord, sent me facts of their own experience of Christian book telling of a medicine called Mother benevolence, an influence which may cause | Seigel's Curative Syrup, and I read of a others to discontinue their practice of expos- case similar to mine having been cured by ing their infant daughters, or even to be- this medicine. I determined to the it, and ome Christians themselves.

As in this way the very reception of found- of the Syrup and commenced taking it. I

for a child that had been rejected by its my life, and by taking an occasional dose I THE Pantago and Company's Resident own parents as a hopeless and worthless have since kept in good health. I may I Navigation Company's Businessing subject. Consequently we may assume mention that I paid over six putnish to one that the support which our friends give to doctor and did not receive any banefit Majesty's Malie will be doctor and did not receive any banefit Majesty's Malie will be doctor and did not receive any banefit Majesty's Malie will be doctor and did not receive any banefit Majesty's Malie will be doctor and did not receive any banefit Majesty's Malie will be doctor and did not receive any banefit Majesty's Malie will be doctor and did not receive any banefit Majesty's Malie will be doctor and did not receive any banefit Majesty's Malie will be doctor and did not receive any banefit Majesty's Malie will be doctor and did not receive any banefit Majesty's Malie will be doctor and did not receive any banefit Majesty's Malie will be doctor and did not receive any banefit Majesty's Malie will be doctor and did not receive any banefit Majesty's Malie will be doctor and did not receive any banefit Majesty's Malie will be doctor and Rough principal whatever. I feel very grateful for the this for LONDON wid ROMBA Y and RUEX. pally yet not exclusively benefiting our great benefit I have received from Selgel's OANAL, on THURSDAY, 24th December foundlings themselves, contributes also in Syrup, and I wish others to know of it. I at Noon some measure towards repressing that bar- have recommended the medicine to many | Cargo will be received on sound until a barous custom of infanticids and bringing people in this district with great benefit. P.m. Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office to the notice of the Chinese people the My daughter, Mrs. Ware, living at York, unit a p.m. on the day before sailing.

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